# **Countywide Student Transit Ticket Program**

The Countywide Student Transit Ticket Program offers limited free public bus passes/tickets to students at public and private schools in Contra Costa County. This program encourages the use of public transit. The free bus passes/tickets are limited in supply, rules and regulations apply.



Contact your local 511 Contra Costa Representative for the specific information about the program.

- If your school is located in the communities of Alamo, Lafayette, Moraga, Orinda, Danville or San Ramon contact the 511 Contra Costa Representative at 925-973-2650.
- If your school is located in the communities of Antioch, Brentwood, Clayton, Concord, Martinez, Oakley, Pittsburg, Pleasant Hill or Walnut Creek contact the 511 Contra Costa Representative at 925-407-0355.
- If your school is located in the communities of El Cerrito, Hercules, Pinole, Richmond, San Pablo or the unincorporated areas of West Contra Costa contact the 511 Representative at 510-215-3035.

# **Countywide Carpool**

The Carpool Incentive Programs are designed to encourage drive-alone commuters to try carpooling.

If you currently drive alone and commute to, from or through Contra Costa County.

## **Carpool Incentive Program**

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Join or form a carpool and receive a \$60 gas card. Includes carpooling to BART and train stations.

# **College Commute Program**

Join or form a carpool to campus and receive a \$40 gas card.

Carpooling helps reduce driving costs, traffic congestion, and improves air quality.

Phone 925-407-0352 for more details or request an application at www.511contracosta.org



# Countywide Transit Incentive

To receive a weeks worth of transit tickets go on-line to register at www.511contracosta.org

## **Eligibility Requirements:**

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• You must be 18 years of age or older to participate.



- Currently drive alone to work or college and be willing to try transit instead.
- Must travel to, through or from Contra Costa County.

The transit tickets available through this program include: AC Transit, Altamont Commuter Express (ACE), BART, Benicia Transit, Capitol Corridor, County Connection, Fairfield Transit, Solano Transit, Tri Delta Transit, Vallejo Transit, LAVTA (Wheels), and WestCAT.

Application may be submitted on-line at www.511contracosta.org

Phone 925-407-0352 for more information



# **Registration** forms and **more** info:

I am interested in receiving additional information and registration forms for the following programs:

- O Vanpool Incentive Program
  - Rider Incentive Driver Incentive
- O School Transit Ticket Program
- O College Commute Program
- O Carpool Incentive Program
- Guaranteed Ride Home
- O Transit Incentive Program
- O Bike Maps East Bay
- Making Public Transit Work for You
  - Video DVD

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# **Countywide Vanpool**

Join a vanpool...we'll pay you to try it!

To get you started, you will receive half off your vanpool fare, for the first three months.\*



- Call 511 the Regional Rideshare Program. 511 provides free services that can match you with existing vanpools. 511 will send you a "matchlist" of vanpools with schedules similar to your own.
- Once you've joined a vanpool, submit your vanpool application and the waiver of liability within three months of joining your vanpool. You will then receive three vanpool coupons. At the end of three months, submit all three vanpool coupons to the City of San Ramon. You will be reimbursed half off the cost for the first three months.

# **Vanpool Driver Bonus Program**

Start a "new" vanpool with a minimum of 6 "new" vanpool riders and be eligible for a \$1.000 cash bonus.

- 511 Regional Rideshare Program will work with you every step of the way to get your vanpool on the road. Call 511 and speak to a Vanpool Consultant.
- Once your vanpool is on the road, register for the Vanpool Bonus: Contact the City of San Ramon at 925-973-2650 to request the Vanpool Bonus Application and Vanpool Registration. Complete both the Vanpool Bonus Application and Vanpool Registration and submit to the City of San Ramon within three months of starting your vanpool.

At the end of the 12 consecutive months, you will be eligible for the \$1,000 bonus!

### \*Existing vanpool riders may not be eligible for any of the vanpool incentives.

# Countywide **Guaranteed Ride Home**

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Does the idea of using public transit, carpool, vanpool, walking or riding a bike to work sound appealing, but you've held back on making the commitment because you didn't know what you would do in the case of personal illness, family emergency, unscheduled overtime, or vehicle breakdown? The Guaranteed Ride Home Program is your safety net to get you home on the day when your regular commute option does not work out!

The 511 Contra Costa Guaranteed Ride Home program offers service to all commuters who work in Contra Costa County with no cost to employers or participants who pre-register and receive a voucher by mail. Voucher can be used to pay for a rental car or taxi ride home on a day that a qualified commute method is used to get to work and then is not available to get you home at the end of your work day.

# You may use the Guaranteed Ride Home program if:

- You or an immediate family member suffers an illness
- You are asked by your supervisor to work unscheduled overtime
- Your ridesharing vehicle breaks down or the driver has to leave early
- You have a break-in, flood, or fire at your residence

# The Guaranteed Ride Home Program may not be used for:

- Personal errands
- Pre-planned medical or dental appointments
- Business-related travel
- Working overtime without a supervisor's request
- · Non-emergency side trips on the way home
- Ambulance service
- Trips to the work place

To request more information about the program and the official registration form complete the attached card and send it to the 511 Contra Costa Guaranteed Ride Home program office or call 510-215-3035.



www.511contracosta.org